

**U.S. District Court
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:18-cv-01677-RC**

INSTITUTE FOR ENERGY RESEARCH v. UNITED STATES Date Filed: 07/17/2018
TREASURY DEPARTMENT Jury Demand: None
Assigned to: Judge Rudolph Contreras Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of
Demand: \$0 Information Act
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

Plaintiff

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
07/17/2018	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY (Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number 0090-5590611) filed by INSTITUTE FOR ENERGY RESEARCH. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet)(Horner, Christopher) (Attachment 1 replaced on 7/18/2018) (zmd). (Entered: 07/17/2018)
07/17/2018	<u>2</u>	LCvR 7.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by INSTITUTE FOR ENERGY RESEARCH (Horner, Christopher) (Entered: 07/17/2018)
07/17/2018	<u>3</u>	NOTICE OF CONSENT AND REFERENCE OF A CIVIL ACTION TO A MAGISTRATE JUDGE by INSTITUTE FOR ENERGY RESEARCH (Horner, Christopher) (Entered: 07/17/2018)
07/17/2018	<u>4</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Jason T. Miller on behalf of All Plaintiffs (Miller, Jason) (Entered: 07/17/2018)

07/17/2018		Case Assigned to Judge Rudolph Contreras. (zmd) (Entered: 07/18/2018)
07/18/2018	<u>5</u>	REQUEST FOR SUMMONS TO ISSUE <i>Treasury, USAG, USAtty for DC</i> filed by INSTITUTE FOR ENERGY RESEARCH. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Summons Summons for US Attorney General, # <u>2</u> Summons Summons for US Atty for DC)(Horner, Christopher) (Entered: 07/18/2018)
07/18/2018	<u>6</u>	SUMMONS (1) Issued Electronically as to UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY. (zsb) (Entered: 07/18/2018)
07/25/2018	<u>7</u>	REQUEST FOR SUMMONS TO ISSUE <i>to ATTORNEY GENERAL and US ATTORNEY</i> re <u>6</u> Summons Issued Electronically filed by INSTITUTE FOR ENERGY RESEARCH. Related document: <u>6</u> Summons Issued Electronically. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Summons Summons to US Attorney for DC)(Horner, Christopher) (Entered: 07/25/2018)
07/27/2018	<u>8</u>	SUMMONS (2) Issued Electronically as to, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (jf) (Entered: 07/27/2018)
08/09/2018	<u>9</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 8/3/2018. Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 9/2/2018. (Miller, Jason) (Entered: 08/09/2018)
08/09/2018	<u>10</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 08/03/2018. (Miller, Jason) (Entered: 08/09/2018)
08/24/2018	<u>11</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY served on 8/3/2018 (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit, # <u>2</u> Exhibit)(Miller, Jason) (Entered: 08/24/2018)
09/04/2018	<u>12</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY.(Peterson, Benton) (Entered: 09/04/2018)
09/07/2018		MINUTE ORDER: It is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall meet, confer, and jointly submit a proposed briefing schedule by September 21, 2018. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Rudolph Contreras on September 7, 2018. (lcrc2) (Entered: 09/07/2018)
09/12/2018		Set/Reset Deadlines: Proposed Briefing Schedule due by 9/21/2018 (tj) (Entered: 09/12/2018)
09/21/2018	<u>13</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT <i>Filed on behalf of both parties</i> by INSTITUTE FOR ENERGY RESEARCH. (Horner, Christopher) (Entered: 09/21/2018)
09/21/2018		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>13</u> the parties' Joint Status Report, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall submit another joint status report by October 23, 2018. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Rudolph Contreras on September 21, 2018. (lcrc2) (Entered: 09/21/2018)
09/25/2018		Set/Reset Deadlines: Status Report due by 10/23/2018 (tj) (Entered: 09/25/2018)
10/23/2018	<u>14</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT <i>filed on behalf of both parties</i> by INSTITUTE FOR ENERGY RESEARCH. (Horner, Christopher) (Entered: 10/23/2018)
10/24/2018		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>14</u> the parties' Joint Status Report, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall file another joint status report by November 27, 2018. Signed by Judge Rudolph Contreras on 10/24/2018. (lcrc2) (Entered: 10/24/2018)
10/26/2018		Set/Reset Deadlines: Status Report due by 11/27/2018 (tj) (Entered: 10/26/2018)
11/27/2018	<u>15</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT <i>filed on behalf of both parties</i> by INSTITUTE FOR ENERGY RESEARCH. (Horner, Christopher) (Entered: 11/27/2018)
11/27/2018		MINUTE ORDER: Upon consideration of <u>15</u> the parties' Joint Status Report, it is hereby ORDERED that the parties shall file another joint status report by January 25, 2019. SO ORDERED. Signed by Judge Rudolph Contreras on November 27, 2018. (lcrc2) (Entered: 11/27/2018)

11/30/2018		Set/Reset Deadlines: Status Report due by 1/25/2019 (tj) (Entered: 11/30/2018)
01/22/2019	<u>16</u>	Consent MOTION to Stay , MOTION for Extension of Time to <i>in Light of Lapse of Appropriations</i> by UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Hudak, Brian) (Entered: 01/22/2019)